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PRESIDING OFFICER'S
RULING NO. R2000-1/125

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

Postal Rate and Fee Changes

Docket No. R2000-1

PRESIDING OFFICER'S RULING
ON REQUESTS TO EXTEND THE DATE FOR RESPONSES
TO PRESIDING OFFICER'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 19

(Issued August 17, 2000)

On August 16, 2000, United Parcel Service (UPS) filed two motions requesting additional time to provide responses to questions contained in Presiding Officer's Information Request No. 19. UPS requests two additional days to respond to questions two and three. It indicates that the Postal Service does not oppose this request. In a separate motion UPS requests nine additional days to respond to question one. It does not indicate the Postal Service position on this request.

I will grant the extension of the due date for responses to questions two and three. I will defer ruling on the request for an extension of the due date for question one until after August 18, 2000. Participants opposing the request for nine additional days to respond to question one are to file their oppositions by close of business August 18, 2000.

RULING

1. The Motion of United Parcel Service to Extend Deadline for Responding to Questions 2 and 3 of Presiding Officer's Information Request No. 19, filed August 16, 2000 is granted.
2. Responses to the Motion of United Parcel Service to Extend Deadline for Responding to Question 1 of Presiding Officer's Information Request No. 19, filed August 16, 2000, are to be filed by August 18, 2000.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ed J. Gleiman', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Edward J. Gleiman
Presiding Officer